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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants hereby submit this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement together with a completed Form PTO/SB/08. No copies of the U.S. patents are enclosed.

The references listed on Form PTO/SB/08 are cited in a European Patent Office Search Report dated 3 September 2007 in a counterpart European application. A copy of the European Patent Office Search Report is enclosed. Reference EP 1 227 304 is equivalent to U.S. Patent 7,058,532 and EP 0 478 985 is equivalent to U.S. Patent No. 5,182,942. An Abstract of WO 95/11427 is attached with Reference DE 43 35 332.

Applicants merely ask that the references be placed in the file pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(i) because the Issue Fee has been paid. Accordingly, no fee is due for the submission of the paper.

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